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Weather Forces Delays in Opening Seasonal Roads and OHV Trails

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Edinburg, Va – The USDA Forest Service plans to delay opening seasonally closed roads in Virginia in the counties of Shenandoah, Page, Rockingham, Frederick, and West Virginia in the counties of Hardy and Hampshire due to the extended winter weather. The Peters Mill Run and Taskers Gap OHV/ATV Trail System is also included in this delay. The Forest Service is taking this measure to protect roads and OHV/ATV Trails from potential damage due to late season freeze, thaw, and moisture experienced this winter. Although these openings usually occur in mid-March to early April, no expected opening date has been announced at this time.

For information on specific roads or trails please contact the Lee Ranger District at (540) 984-4101.



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